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In response to the election of species requirement dated February 11, 2005, Applicants elect Group I and Species A, Fig. 5, for initial examination. Claims 1-7 read on the elected species. The election is made without traverse. An early and favorable action on the merits is requested.

Respectfully Submitted,

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